

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Industries Deptt. – Sri K.Prasada Rao, the then Deputy Director and General Manager (I/c), District Industries Centre, Guntur – Imposition of punishment of withholding of one (1) Annual Grade Increment with cumulative effect – Orders – Issued.

INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (VIGILANCE) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No 558

Dated.16.08.2012.
Read the following:-

- Ref:-1. Charge Memo. No.40-1-2001-0248-0248/ID-1, Dt.20.07.2004 of COI.
2. G.O.Rt.No.340, Ind. & Com (Vig.) Dept., Dt.05-05-2008.
3. D.O.Lr.No.641-COI-JR/2008. Dt.10.08.2009 of Sri Janak Raj, IPS, Retired, Commissioner of Inquiries.
4. Govt. Memo.No.3725/Vig.A2/2002-13, Dt.17-08-2009.
5. Explanation of Sri K.Prasada Rao, the then Deputy Director of Industries/General Manager (I/c),Guntur, Dt.05.09.2009.
6. Govt. Lr.No.3725/Vig.A2/2002-18, Dt.15-5-2012.
7. From the Secretary, APPSC Lr.No.1074/RT/3/2012, Dt.15-06-2012.

O R D E R:-

Whereas, certain charges were framed against Sri K.Prasada Rao, the then Deputy Director of Industries/General Manager (I/c), District Industries Centre, Guntur vide in the reference 1st read above, on the allegations that the above officer has committed certain irregularities in procurement of Trunk Boxes to certain A.P. Social Welfare Residential Schools / Junior Colleges in Guntur District and supply of inferior quality of Trunk Boxes quoting higher rate and evasion of Service Tax by M/s Srinivasa Engineering Works, Guntur.

2. Whereas in the 2nd read above, Government appointed Sri Janaka Raj, IPS (Retd.), Member, Commissioner of Inquiries, as Inquiring Authority to enquire into the charges against the above A.O, as the explanation submitted by the A.O to the charges framed against him were not convincing.

3. Whereas the Inquiring Authority after completing the inquiry has furnished the inquiry report vide D.O.Lr. 3rd read above. As per the Inquiry report, out of 5 (Five) charges framed against Sri K.Prasada Rao, former Deputy Director of Industries/General Manager (I/c), District Industries Centre, Guntur, 2 (Two) charges were found proved and 3 (Three) charges were not proved.

4. Whereas, the Accused Officer was communicated with the report of the Inquiring Authority under rule 21 (2) of APCS (CCA) Rules , 1991 with a request to submit his explanation if any on the enquiry report vide Govt. Memo.4th read above. The accused officer has submitted his explanation in the reference 5th read above.

5. Whereas, after considering the explanation furnish by the above officer and finding no new grounds or facts it is decided by the Government to impose the punishment of "withholding of one annual grade increment with cumulative effect" on Sri K.Prasada Rao, the then Deputy Director of Industries/General Manager (I/c), District Industries Centre, Guntur. The decision of the Govt. to impose the above punishment was also concurred by the APPSC, Hyderabad vide its Lr. 7th read above.

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6. Now, therefore, the Government in exercise of the powers conferred under rule 12 read with rule 14(2) of APCS (CCA) rules, 1991 hereby impose the punishment of "withholding of one annual grade increment with cumulative effect" on Sri K.Prasada Rao, the then Deputy Director of Industries/General Manager (I/c), District Industries Centre, Guntur with immediate effect as the charges leveled against him are held proved during the course of enquiry.

7. The Commissioner of Industries, Hyderabad shall acknowledge the receipt of the orders and take necessary further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.PRADEEP CHANDRA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT & CIP

To

1.Sri K.Prasada Rao, the then Deputy Director of Industries/General Manager (I/c), District Industries Centre, Guntur, through Commissioner of Industries, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

2.The Commissioner of Industries, Hyderabad.

3.The Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad - With reference to Lr.No. 1074/RT/3/12, Dt.15.06.2012.

4.The A.P Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.

5.The G.A (V&E) Department, Hyderabad.

6.SF/SC.

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SECTION OFFICER